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INDIANA'S HOG INVENTORY UNCHANGED

Indiana producers had a total inventory of 3.60 million hogs and pigs on September 1, 2009, unchanged from a year earlier. Market hog inventory, at 3.32 million head, and breeding inventory, at 280,000 head were both unchanged from 2008. Sows farrowed totaled 140,000 during the June - August 2009 quarter, down 3 percent from a year earlier. Pig crop, at 1.33 million head, was down 1 percent from last year with a litter rate averaging a record high of 9.50, up 3 percent from 2008. Indiana producers intend to farrow 140,000 sows during the September - November 2009 period and 145,000 sows during the December 2009 - February 2010 period. If realized, farrowings during the September - November 2009 period would be unchanged and farrowings during the December 2009 - February 2010 period would be up 5,000 (4 percent) from the previous year.

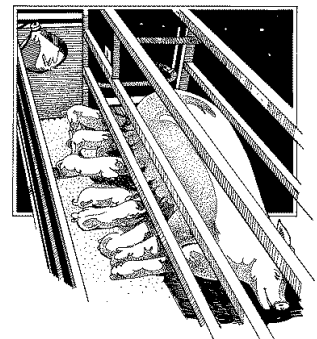
U.S. inventory of all hogs and pigs on September 1, 2009 was 66.6 million head. This was down 2 percent from September 1, 2008, but up 1 percent from June 1, 2009. Breeding inventory, at 5.87 million head, was down 3 percent from last year and down 2 percent from the

previous quarter. Market hog inventory, at 60.8 million head, was down 2 percent from last year but up 1 percent from last quarter. The June - August 2009 U.S. pig crop, at 28.8 million head, was down 2 percent from 2008 and down 1 percent from 2007. Sows farrowing during this period totaled 2.97 million head, down 4 percent from 2008 and down 5 percent from 2007. The sows farrowed during this quarter represented 50 percent of the breeding herd. The average pigs saved per litter was a record high 9.70 for the June-August 2009 period, compared to 9.51 last year. Pigs saved per litter by size of operation ranged from 7.40 for operations with 1-99 hogs and pigs to 9.80 for operations with more than 5,000 hogs and pigs.

U.S. hog producers intend to have 2.94 million sows farrow during the September-November 2009 quarter, down 3 percent from the actual farrowings in 2008, and down 8 percent from 2007. Intended farrowings for December 2009-February 2010, at 2.93 million sows, are down 3 percent from 2009, and down 5 percent from 2008.

SEPTEMBER 1 HOGS AND PIGS INDIANA AND UNITED STATES, 2008-2009

Item	Indiana			United States		
	2008	2009	09 as % of 08	2008	2009	09 as % of 08
	1,000 Head		Percent	1,000 Head		Percent
Hogs and Pigs, Sept. 1	3,600	3,600	100	68,196	66,626	98
Breeding Hogs	280	280	100	6,061	5,874	97
Market Hogs	3,320	3,320	100	62,135	60,752	98
Under 60 Pounds	1,200	1,260	105	22,683	21,837	96
60-119 Pounds	890	850	96	15,397	15,078	98
120-179 Pounds	620	600	97	12,855	12,674	99
180 Pounds and over	610	610	100	11,201	11,163	100
Farrowing, June - August						
Sows Farrowing	145	140	97	3,075	2,966	96
Pigs Per Litter	9.25	9.50	103	9.51	9.70	102
Pig Crop ^{1/}	1,341	1,330	99	29,240	28,772	98
Sows Farrowing						
September - February ^{2/}	280	285 ^{3/}	102	6,052	5,865 ^{3/}	97
September - November	140	140 ^{3/}	100	3,028	2,935 ^{3/}	97
December - February ^{2/}	140	145 ^{3/}	104	3,024	2,930 ^{3/}	97



^{1/} Number of pigs born June through August that were on hand September 1 or had been sold.

^{2/} January and February of succeeding year.

^{3/} Intentions.

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WHEAT STOCKS UP WHILE CORN AND SOYBEAN STOCKS DOWN

Indiana's stocks of old crop corn on September 1, 2009 in all positions totaled 72.8 million bushels. This is down 23 percent from a year earlier. On-farm corn stocks amounted to 24.0 million bushels, up 4 percent from September 1, 2008. Off-farm corn stocks totaled 48.8 million bushels, down 32 percent from a year earlier.

Old crop soybeans in Indiana totaled 6.3 million bushels in all positions on September 1, 2009. This is a decrease of 48 percent from a year earlier. On-farm soybean stocks totaled 800 thousand bushels, down 53 percent, while off-farm stocks totaled 5.5 million, down 47 percent from September 1, 2008.

Indiana wheat stocks totaled 34.1 million bushels in all positions on September 1, 2009. This is up 17 percent from last year. The on-farm wheat stocks at 3.0 million bushels, increased 20 percent from the previous year. Off-farm stocks totaled 31.1 million bushels, up 16 percent from last year.

Off-farm Indiana oat stocks totaled 92 thousand bushels on September 1, 2009, a 28 percent decrease from the previous year. On-farm oat stocks are no longer being published for Indiana, therefore stocks in all positions are also unavailable.

STOCKS OF GRAIN, INDIANA AND U.S., SEPTEMBER 1, 2008-2009

Crop	On-Farm Stocks			Off-Farm Stocks ^{1/}			Total Stocks in All Positions		
	2008	2009	09/08	2008	2009	09/08	2008	2009	09/08
	Thousand Bushels		Percent	Thousand Bushels		Percent	Thousand Bushels		Percent
Indiana									
Corn, Shelled & Ear	23,000	24,000	104	71,273	48,777	68	94,273	72,777	77
Soybeans	1,700	800	47	10,299	5,464	53	11,999	6,264	52
Wheat	2,500	3,000	120	26,754	31,140	116	29,254	34,140	117
Oats	*	*		127	92	72	*	*	
United States									
Corn, Shelled & Ear	499,950	607,500	122	1,124,200	1,066,559	95	1,624,150	1,674,059	103
Soybeans	47,000	35,100	75	158,034	103,098	65	205,034	138,198	67
All Wheat	635,700	840,000	132	1,222,423	1,375,167	112	1,858,123	2,215,167	119
Oats	52,800	54,500	103	66,296	73,955	112	119,096	128,455	108

* Not published.

^{1/} Includes stocks at mills, elevators, warehouses, terminals, processors.

TURKEYS RAISED DOWN 8 PERCENT FROM 2008

Turkeys raised in the United States during 2009 is 250 million, down 8 percent from the number raised during 2008.

The following seven States are expected to account for about 71% of the turkeys produced in the United States during 2009: Minnesota, at 45.5 million turkeys, is down 5 percent from last year; North Carolina, at 37.5 million turkeys, is down 6 percent from last year; Arkansas, at 28.0 million turkeys, is down 10 percent from a year ago; Missouri, at 21.0 million turkeys, is unchanged from last year; Virginia, at 16.4 million turkeys, is down 9 percent from 2008; California, at 15.0 million turkeys, is down 6 percent from last year; and Indiana, at 14.5 million turkeys, is unchanged from last year.

TURKEYS: NUMBER RAISED SELECTED STATES & UNITED STATES

State	Total All Breeds		
	2008	2009	2009 as % of 2008
Thousand Birds			
Arkansas	31,000	28,000	90
California	16,000	15,000	94
Indiana	14,500	14,500	100
Minnesota	48,000	45,500	95
Missouri	21,000	21,000	100
North Carolina	40,000	37,500	94
Ohio	6,000	5,200	87
Virginia	18,000	16,400	91
United States	273,088	249,914	92

PRICES RECEIVED INDEX DOWN

The September 2009 Index of Prices Received by Indiana Farmers at 127 (1991=100) was down 5 points from August's level and down 38 points from September 2008. The mid-September price for all milk increased from August. The mid-month price for corn, soybeans, winter wheat, all hogs, and eggs decreased from the previous month.

The mid-September price for corn, soybeans, winter wheat, all hogs, all milk, and eggs decreased from the previous year's level.

The Livestock Price Index of 83 was unchanged from last month's index but 35 points below September 2008. The Crop Price Index of 154 was down 9 points from the index last month and 40 points below the previous year.

AVERAGE PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS - - INDIANA AND UNITED STATES SEPTEMBER 2009 WITH COMPARISONS 1/

Item	Unit	Indiana			United States		
		September 2008	August 2009	September 15 2009	September 2008	August 2009	September 15 2009
		Dollars			Dollars		
Corn	Bu.	4.75	3.45	3.34	5.01	3.33	3.32
Soybeans	Bu.	11.00	11.00	10.00	10.80	10.80	9.85
Winter Wheat	Bu.	5.10	3.91	3.37	6.99	4.67	4.03
Oats	Bu.	7/	7/	7/	3.29	1.86	1.80
All Hay 2/	Ton	6/	6/	6/	161.00	109.00	107.00
Alfalfa Hay 2/	Ton	6/	6/	6/	175.00	111.00	110.00
Other Hay 2/	Ton	6/	6/	6/	121.00	101.00	100.00
Apples 2/	Lb.	6/	6/	6/	.506	.256	.335
All Hogs	Cwt.	54.20	40.50	39.40	52.60	37.40	37.80
Barrows & Gilts	Cwt.	54.10	41.20	40.70	52.70	37.70	38.40
Sows	Cwt.	55.30	33.80	26.00	49.80	29.80	23.70
All Beef Cattle	Cwt.	6/	6/	6/	94.20	80.60	80.80
Milk Cows 3/	Head	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/
All Milk	Cwt.	19.60	12.40	13.00	18.20	12.00	12.70
Fluid Milk	Cwt.	19.60	12.40	4/	18.20	12.00	12.70
Manufactured Milk	Cwt.	7/	7/	7/	17.50	11.30	11.90
Eggs 5/	Doz.	.820	.580	.570	.861	.579	.568
Turkeys 2/	Lb.	6/	6/	6/	.664	.511	.483

1/ Entire month price is a revision of the previous published mid-month price for all items except when footnoted otherwise. 2/ Mid-month Price. 3/ Animals sold for dairy herd replacements only. Prices published in January, April, July and October. 4/ Only Whole-month Price published. 5/ Mid-month price for Market (table) eggs, including eggs sold retail by the producer. 6/ Monthly estimates discontinued. 7/ Not Published.

OATS UP, WINTER WHEAT DOWN FROM LAST YEAR

Indiana's 2009 winter wheat crop is estimated to total 30.2 million bushels, 22 percent below last year's 38.6 million bushels. The yield of 67 bushels per acre is down 1 bushel from the August 1 forecast and 2 bushels below last year. Acreage harvested for grain, at 450,000 acres, is down 20 percent from a year earlier.

Indiana's oat crop totals 483,000 bushels, 29 percent above last year's estimate of 375,000 bushels. The yield of 69 bushels per acre is down 6 bushels from the previous year. Acreage harvested as grain, at 7,000 acres, is up 40 percent from a year earlier.

ACRES FOR HARVEST, YIELD AND PRODUCTION INDIANA AND UNITED STATES, 2008-2009

Crop	Acres for Harvest			Yield Per Acre		Production			Unit
	2008	2009	09/08	2008	2009	2008	2009	09/08	
	<u>Thousands</u>		<u>Percent</u>			<u>Thousands</u>		<u>Percent</u>	
Indiana:									
Winter Wheat	560	450	80	69.0	67.0	38,640	30,150	78	Bu
Oats	5	7	140	75.0	69.0	375	483	129	Bu
United States:									
Winter Wheat	39,608	34,485	87	47.1	44.2	1,867,333	1,522,718	82	Bu
Oats	1,400	1,379	99	63.7	67.6	89,135	93,276	105	Bu

INDIANA'S RED MEAT PRODUCTION UP 5 PERCENT

Indiana's commercial red meat production during August 2009 totaled 142.1 million pounds, up 8 percent from a year earlier. Total live weight of the 3,500 cattle killed totaled 3.7 million pounds. Total live weight of the 708,700 hogs killed totaled 184.8 million pounds. The 3,600 sheep slaughtered during August 2009 totaled 381,000 pounds.

Nationally, commercial red meat production totaled 4.08 billion pounds in August, down slightly from the 4.10 billion pounds produced in August 2008. Beef production, at 2.18 billion pounds, was 4 percent below the previous year. Cattle slaughter totaled 2.78 million head, down 4 percent from August 2008. The average live weight was up 9 pounds from the previous year, at

1,293 pounds. Veal production totaled 10.6 million pounds, 6 percent below August a year ago. Calf slaughter totaled 76,700 head, down 3 percent from August 2008. The average live weight was down 11 pounds from last year, at 234 pounds. Pork production totaled 1.87 billion pounds, up 4 percent from the previous year. Hog kill totaled 9.34 million head, up 1 percent from August 2008. The average live weight was up 7 pounds from the previous year, at 268 pounds. Lamb and mutton production, at 13.3 million pounds, was up slightly from August 2008. Sheep slaughter totaled 202,900 head, 1 percent above last year. The average live weight was 132 pounds, unchanged from August a year ago.

COMMERCIAL LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER ^{1/}

Species	Indiana				United States			
	August		Jan - Aug		August		Jan - Aug	
	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009
Cattle								
Number of Head (000)	3.5	3.5	26.5	27.5	2,908.3	2,781.9	23,298.6	22,281.1
Average Live Weight (Lbs)	1,057	1,059	1,059	1,055	1,284	1,293	1,272	1,288
Total Live Weight (000 Lbs)	3,704	3,712	28,069	29,003	3,723,750	3,587,090	29,541,204	28,593,155
Hogs								
Number of Head (000)	670.9	708.7	5,424.9	5,530.0	9,263.7	9,337.0	76,268.3	74,035.0
Average Live Weight (Lbs)	255	261	261	265	261	268	268	270
Total Live Weight (000 Lbs)	170,887	184,763	1,417,847	1,468,041	2,414,624	2,499,544	20,395,100	20,008,496
Sheep								
Number of Head (000)	2.5	3.6	18.5	24.1	200.2	202.9	1,683.2	1,618.6
Average Live Weight (Lbs)	107	105	108	109	132	132	138	138
Total Live Weight (000 Lbs)	266	381	1,992	2,618	26,445	26,668	232,347	223,054

^{1/} Commercial red meat production includes slaughter in federally inspected plants and other plants, but excludes animals slaughtered on farms.

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